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To Bradley Litchfield

August 4, 1992

Associate General Counsel for Policy

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Federal Election Commission
999 E Street NW

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Randall A Terry

Dear Mr Litchfield,

Greetings I am requesting an expedited Advisory Opinion concerning my running for Federal office (United States House of Representatives, New York 23rd)

Here are the facts I am employed as the host of a daily radio talk show entitled Randall Terry Live The show airs on approximately 95 stations nationwide The show is a "call-in" talk format, in which the news of the day is discussed The show also deals with all major contemporary issues, both domestic and foreign

The show does not air in the congressional district I am considering running in, hence the residents of New York 23rd cannot hear me daily

Petitions have already been filed with the New York State Elections

Commission by the Right To Life Party for me to be on the ballot this November on
the Right To Life line I have filed an acceptance form

\$5,000 has not yet been raised nor spent on my campaign, but I do intend to raise money I do *not* intend to use the radio show to promote my candidacy nor raise funds for my candidacy. No advertisements will run during the show promoting my candidacy, nor raising funds for my candidacy

Given these facts, is there any problem with me running for federal office and continuing to host the radio show?

Your speedy reply is appreciated.

If you have questions, please contact me at 607-655-1900.

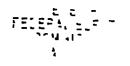
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Sincerely,

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TO: Bradley Litchfield

FROM: Randall A. Terry

Greetings:

As per our discussion, here are 3 tapes of the show - 8/3, 8/4, and 8/5.

Also, for further clarification, I am a contracted employee of Randall Terry Live Inc. I am employed at a salary between 23k and 25k per annum. I am not an owner nor stockholder in R.T.L.

If you have any other questions, call me or fax me.

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WASHINGTON DC 20463

August 11, 1992.

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Dear Mr. Terry:

This refers further to your recent inquiries dated.

August 4 and 5, 1992, to me seeking an advisory opinion from the Federal Election Commission with respect to your continuing employment as the host of a daily radio talk show. while you are a 1992 candidate for Congress.

I have received tapes of three very recent radio broadcasts of your program "Randall Terry Live." There are a few other factual clarifications that should also be provided at this time. Please provide written responses to the following questions.

- 1) State the history of your radio broadcast program career. Your answer should include the date when your current program began and a brief summary of any other broadcast activity you have previously pursued.
- 2) Is Randall Terry Live broadcast in a manner that accepts live call-ins from listeners who engage you (and others) in conversation that simultaneously goes on the air? Or are the call-ins pre-recorded or subject to any broadcast delay features? Describe each system that is used.
- 3) Identify all cities and counties in New York where your program may be heard.
- 4) Describe other employment ventures that you pursuealong with your daily radio program. Include an estimate of the number of hours per week that you spend with the radio program and with your other employment ventures.
- 5) Explain the role and authority of Randall Terry Live, Inc., in the production and distribution of the radio program. Also identify the stockholders and officers of the corporation, and state their family (or other) relationships with you.

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Upon receiving your responses to the foregoing questions, this office and the Commission will give further consideration to your inquiry as an advisory opinion request of you have any questions about the advisory opinion process of this letter, please contact me.

You may reply by fax if desired, but your signed original letter is also needed for record purposes. The fax number for this office is (202) 219-3923. This letter being sent by fax transmission and regular mail.

Sincerely; ..

N. Bradley-Litchfield Associate-General Counsel

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To: N. Bradley Litchfield From: Randall A. Terry Re: Response to letter dated 8/11/92

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FROM: Randall A. Terry AOR 1992-37 20-DAY

Response to letter dated 8/11/92 RE:

Greetings:

Here are the answers you requested.

Ouestion #1

History: Besides hosting Randall Terry Live Inc., I have the following radio experience:

- 1) From the fall of 1988 until the summer of 1992 I hosted a five minute daily (Mon-Fri) entitled "Operation Rescue News Update"
- 2) In Feb. 1992 I hosted one week in Bing, N.Y. on W.I.N.R. (1 hr daily)
- 3) In Oct. 1991 I hosted one week in L.A. Cal. on K.K.L.A. (1 hr daily)
- 4) In Aug. 1991 I hosted two weeks on K.S.G.L. (and another 50 stations via satellite) (1 hr daily)
- 5) In July 1991 I hosted one week on K.C.C.V. (1 hr daily)

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We do accept live call-ins and as we talk it goes simultaneously over the air. We do not have a "delay" system.

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Randall Terry Live Inc. produces the show, which is then distributed via satellite around the nation on a C.B.N. satellite.

I hope these answers will help us expedite the process. The election is only five weeks away! My, how time flies.

Thanks again,

Randall A. Terry 9/29/92